



PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO: KCX-741(19044)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application: Xuedong Song)	Examiner: Jacqueline Diramio
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Serial No: 10/718,989)	Group Art Unit: 1641
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Filed: November 21, 2003)	Confirmation No: 9109
)	
Title: Membrane-Based Lateral Flow)	Deposit Acct. No: 04-1403
Assay Devices That Utilize)	
Phosphorescent Detection)	Customer No. 22827

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2006, and in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination in accord with C.F.R. §1.114, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on p. 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on pg. 6